

NEILL BELIEVED HER DEAD.

A SUPPOSED VICTIM OF THE POISONER TESTIFIES AGAINST HIM.

Lee Harvey Tells a Thrilling Story of Her Escape from Death—She Took the Long Pills Prepared for Her by Neill and Pretended to Swallow Them—Then Threw Them Away and Thus Avoided Death.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—Thomas Neill, alias Thomas Neill Cream, was brought up again to-day on the charge of having murdered Matilda Glover by strychnine poisoning. Miss Laura Sabatini, a young woman who had been in black with a pink hat, testified that she had seen Neill in the room in which the murder took place. She said that she had seen him in the room in which the murder took place. She said that she had seen him in the room in which the murder took place.

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KING ESCAPES THE GALLOW.

Gov. Buchanan Commutes His Sentence to Life Imprisonment.

MEMPHIS, Aug. 9.—Col. H. Clay King, who was to have been hanged on Friday next for the murder of Lawyer Poston in connection with the scandal of Col. King and the widow of Gen. Pillow, has escaped the gallows. Gov. Buchanan has commuted his sentence to imprisonment for life.

Great pressure of all kinds has been brought to bear on the Governor to spare the life of the eminent lawyer and gallant soldier, and he finally yielded. The news was a surprise to Col. King.

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MR. GLADSTONE'S POLICY.

HE BRIEFLY OUTLINES IT IN SPEAKING ON THE QUEEN'S ADDRESS.

The Settlement of the Irish Question the Most Important Matter Confronting the Liberals—He Refuses to Admit that the Rejection of His Proposed Home Rule Measure by the House of Lords Means Defeat to His Followers—The Irish Members Much Pleased With the Speech.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—The House of Commons was again densely crowded to-day. All the Ministers and ex-Ministers were present. The Peers' gallery was especially crowded. The ladies' gallery was thronged with beauty.

Mr. Gladstone was pale, but apparently his accustomed courage, eagerly watching his distinguished husband as he opened the debate. His features were an expression of great earnestness. He was in excellent voice and spoke with vigor and clearness.

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CHOLERA AT GERMANY'S DOOR.

The Disease Breaks Out on the Western Frontier and Causes Great Alarm.

BERLIN, Aug. 9.—Cholera has appeared on the western frontier, and to-day a death was reported from a village near Metz. The Russo-German committee for forwarding emigrants from Russia have suspended operations.

Despatches have been sent to officials on the eastern frontier to exercise redoubled vigilance in examining all persons coming over the border.

Great uneasiness is felt here, as about thirty Russian families are said to have been quarantined in a camp within the last three days, despite all precautions.

It is ROSEBURY HOLDING ALONG? A Report that He Declined a Portfolio Because of Gladstone's Foreign Policy.

LONDON, Aug. 9.—The absence of Lord Rosebery, who is travelling on the Continent at the very time when an important Minister should be in London, is generally accepted as a confirmation of the current rumors that Mr. Gladstone offered the Foreign Office to Lord Rosebery, and that he declined to accept it.

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MALTREATED TWO WOMEN.

THE IDEA WHICH THREE TOUGHS HAD OF AMUSEMENT.

They Had Been Drinking Beer at a Pile, and Then They Went to the Pile and Threw Stones Through the Windows of a Defenceless Woman's House.

The Pleasantville Heights Social Club held a picnic at Sparks' Grove, near Chappaqua, last Saturday night. The entertainment consisted mostly of dancing and beer. Chappaqua is a small town, nestled in a hollow among the hills in the northern part of Westchester county, and the grove is distant about 14 miles as the crow flies. The road which connects the two places is considerably longer than that.

When the band had ceased to play and the beer kegs were all empty, the guests of the social club started for their homes. It was midnight, but the moon was shining brightly. John Mallin, Oren Lounsbury, and Fred Miller determined to take advantage of the clear night and make a short cut for Chappaqua. Their path lay along a narrow lane over low hills and through the woods. The three men were armed with stones and a few bottles.

About half a mile from the grove they came to the house of Mrs. Adams. It is a small frame structure, set aside from the road in a deep gulch, protected on all sides by trees and bushes. The house is a mile away from the grove, and the three men were determined to make a short cut for Chappaqua.

Mrs. Adams, who is more than 50 years old, lives in the little house with her unmarried daughter. The latter is not more than 30 years old. Abel Adams, the husband and father, became insane a year ago and is now confined in the county house at White Plains. They were the only people who lived there.

When the three men reached this spot Mallin suggested that it would be a good joke to throw stones through the windows and frighten the women. His companions entered the house and threw stones through the windows. They followed a shower of rocks that shattered most of the window panes in the women's room.

Mrs. Adams and her daughter, who had not yet retired, came to the window to see what was going on. They were greatly alarmed by the shower of stones, and the old lady was struck violently on the arm.

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TORNADO IN COLORES.

Forepaugh's Circus Tent Torn Into Shreds—Trees Torn Up by the Roots.

COLORES, Aug. 9.—At about 4:20 o'clock this afternoon a tornado, preceded by a slight rain and a dead calm, swept down upon this place. Forepaugh's circus suffered heavily. The big tent and all the other tents were lifted from the ground and torn into shreds, nothing larger than the foot of canvas being left whole. The performance had just concluded and the spectators had dispersed.

Performers were in their dressing tents, and many of them were unsheltered before the storm was complete. The band of Arabs accompanying the circus were seized with terror and fled in all directions. The greatest difficulty that they were assured of their safety. Costumes were scattered to the winds and seats were tumbled over. Had the storm struck the tents a few minutes earlier, the loss of life would have undoubtedly been frightful. The loss on the canvas is \$2